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North Korean Army Radio Communications School.

1. In September 1952 the North Korean army communications school attached to the general headquarters was at YD-545585, near Ipsong-ni (125-56, 39-01) (YD-5422). The school was directed by a senior colonel. Eleven instructors taught approximately 150 students. Middle-school boys and girls from 16 to 20 years of age were enrolled upon recommendation of the village people's committees or middle schools. The students fared better during their training than do North Korean army soldiers. Some 150 students were trained during each six-month term. The first term began in August 1950 and ended on 20 March 1951. The fifth class began on 21 September 1952 with 100 boys and 49 girls. Subjects taught were telephone operation, radio transmitting, receiving and maintenance, encoding, decoding, politics and military training. After completing the course, trainees were assigned to front-line North Korean army units as sergeants. Backward students were sent to rear units or organizations under the Ministry of Communications.

North Korean Army Officers Training School.

2. On 6 June 1952 an army officers training school called the 684 Army Unit¹ was at YE-330088, near Tungsan-dong (125-42, 39-48) (YE-3109). Senior Colonel CHONG Kwang-su, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] headed the school and was regimental commander.

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[REDACTED] strength of the unit was approximately 2,000. Three Soviet advisers ranging in age from 30 to 35 were at the school. One of them came with the school when it was moved to this location from Chungghwa (129-37, 41-13) (EA-5263) in April 1952.

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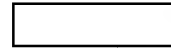
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
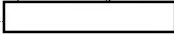
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The other two arrived in early June 1952.

1.  Comment. This unit is probably the same as the 684 Officers Training Regiment mentioned 

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